Wall Street Looks for Higher Prices --- Lively Trading in Washington Securities

STRONGTONETONEW YORK MARKET, POULTRY PLENTIFUL LIVELY TRADING IN LOCAL STOCKS READING SETTING THE PACE. NEWS IS BULLISH.

NEW YORK, May 12.—2 p. m.—The TODAY'S PRICES ON market was a little firmer at the beginning of the last hour of the ses-Union Pacific rose to 189% and Reading to 159. Other stocks moved up fractionally and the indications are favorable to a very strong closing.

NEW YORK, May 13-1 p. m.-There were indications in the closing yesterday that some strong interests fed the stree

THE CURB MARKET.

Quotations furnished by E. F. Hutton Interchange, Thomas L. Hume, manager, 1301 F street northwest.

NEWBERRY'S ORDER IS HELD ILLEGAL

Secretary of the Navy Meyer ceived today from Attorney General Wickersham his opinion on the status of Admiral Barton, as chief of the Bureau of Steam Engineering. It is understood the opinion is to the effect that Admiral Barton is still chief of the bureau, and that the Newberry order displacing him is not constitutional. Whether Secretary Meyer will take steps to have him removed depends largely upon the outcome of the present controversy which overshadows everything else in the Navy Department. If the Bureau of Steam Engineering is to remain under the Chief of Construction, Barton probably will go. If not, there is a possibility that he may go anyway, to make way for Lieut Com. Hutch I. Cone, whose appointment was announced before this technical difficulty arose. ceived today from Attorney General

Action of a decisive sort is expected from Secretary Meyer in a few days. He is now considering the conflicting report of the line and staff officers who were members of the Sperry board of regulation, in conjunction with the Aticrney General's decision, and officers of the navy anxiously awaiting the outcome.

In the convention were four delegates.

HELD IN \$1,000 BOND ON MURDER CHARGE

NEW YORK EXCHANGE

(Quotations furnished by W. B. Hibbs & Co., bankers and brokers, Hibbs Building members New York Stock Exchange, Wash ington Stock Exchange, and Chicago Board

 26
 SALE OF STOCK BY HOURS.

 7%
 Shares to 11 a. m.
 273,

 234
 Shares to 12 m.
 420,

 7%
 Shares to 1 p. m.
 576,
 GOVERNMENT SECURITIES.

S. con. 2's, coupon, 1930... S. 3's reg., 1908-18... S. 3's coupon, 1308-18... S. 3's coupon, small bds., 1908-18 U. S. 4's reg. 1925....... U. S. 4's coupon, 1925........ District of Columbia 3-65's, Philippine Islands land pur. 4's, 1914-34.....

AT TAKOMA PARK

Delegates From Foreign Climes Gather Under Huge White Tents.

Fifteen hundred delegates, many of them from foreign countries, attended

from China, six from Japan, six from India, five from Australia, and one from he South Sea Islands. The latter rought with him a club and a dish formerly used by a chief of the Fijis, now converted, to kill and serve up

American missionaries. There are about 2,000 people attending the convention, but only 400 are delegates. They are quartered in 275 tents, Francis Williams, the fourteen-yearold colored girl, charged with administering a dose of laundanum to the fourmonth-old child of J. S. Collins, which
caused the child's death, was held by a
coroner's jury, sitting at Alexandria,
for action of the grand jury. A bond of
10.00 was required, and was furnished
by the girl's father.

The tragedy occurred at West Woodford last Saturday and Fairfax county
was aroused over the affair. The colored girl, Mr. and Mrs. Collins say, gave
the child the poison in a fit of spiteful
rage after being reprimanded.

The coroner's inquest was conducted
by Justice of the Peace W. W. Farr.

duller today, although there was more activity in poultry produce, lambs and calves than for several days. In all ivisions of the produce market price remained practically unchanged. Receipts of Southern green vegetable

recorded a slight falling off, but lettuc and asparagus were in heavy supply Strawberries continued to bring from 8 to 12 cents.
The calf market was unusually active

high as 8½ cents. Lambs also held firm at old prices.

Live poultry of all kinds was more plentiful than it has been at any time during the week. This was true, especially, with respect to hens and spring chickens. Quotations remained firm, however, and a fair amount of business was transacted.

Cheese-New York, fiats, large, per lb., 14½a15c; small, per lb., 14½a15c.
Eggs-Virginia, nearbys, fresh, 19a20c.
Butter-Creamery, fancy, 27c; Western, firsts, 27a274c; process, fancy, 23a24c; fair to good, 25c; dairy, choice, 21a25c; dairy, good, 17c; store-packed, fresh, 15a16c.

Live Poultry-Chickens, spring, per lb., 26a 30c; hens, 15c; roosters, 8c; ducks, large, per lb., 11a12c; small, per lb., 10a11c; geese, per lb., 11a12c; turkeys, toms, per lb., 15c; hens, per lb., 18c.

Dressee Poultry-Chickens, spring, per lb., 23a35c; roosters, per lb., 9a10c; turkeys, undrawn, toms, per lb., 17a18c; her., per lb., 20c; ducks, large, per lb., 14a15c; geese, per lb., 8a12c.

Fruits

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Fruits—Apples, fancy brands, per bbl., \$3.50 a8.50; oranges, California, per box, \$2.75a3.50; Florida, per box, \$2.00a3.50; grape fruit, per crate, \$2.50a5.00; strawberries, per quart, 8a12c; pineapples, \$2.50a2.75.

Vegetables.

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Straus Says One Sample Out of Eighteen Is Found Tuberculous.

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and that each type changes to the other when transplanted."

The meeting, which was held in the small ball room of the New Willard, was presided over by Homer Folks, of New York, in the absence of Dr. Vin cent Y. Bowdwitch, who is ill at his home in Boston. In his opening address, Mr. Folks reviewed the work of checking the spread of tuberculosis in New York State.

ed to provide 'eds for the sufferers in the Empire safe and \$2,300,900 would be required for their maintenance. Mr. Folks deplored the inadequacy of the funds for fighting tuberculosis, and mentioned by comparison the proposal of the New York Legislature to appropriate \$6,000,900 for improvements to the Eric canal

Erie canal.

On behalf of the local committee of the national association, Allen D. Albert, ir., extended an invitation to the members to visit and inspect the Washington tuberculosis exhibit which will be opened at the Raleigh Hotel for one week from May 21. The exhibit is now in New York. Replying, Mr. Folks extended the thanks of the national association to the local committee, and urged those present to accept the invitation.

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Addresses will be made at this afternoon's meeting by Dr. Arnold C. Klobs, of Chicago; Dr. G. Walter Holden, of Denver; Dr. H. E. Kirschner, of Iowa; Dr. Herman M. Blggs, head of the New York department of health; Dr. L. F. Flick, of Philadelphia; Dr. A. M. Forster, of Towson, Md., and others. From the public standpoint, perhaps the most important feature will come tomorrow when, at the afternoon session at 3 o'clock, addresses will be made by Ambassador Bryce, Speaker Cannon, Dr. William, Osler, of Oxford University, England, and Dr. William H. Welch, of Philadelphia.

ABOUT 4,000 SHARES SOLD AND \$8,000 BONDS.

Today's was the best market that the monotype being very heavy, aggregating nearly 2,000 shares. The recent state-ment was so good that Boston has had Washington Stock Exchange has enoyed for many moons. It was a great many orders, and the local investors with a speculative turn have been takday in more ways than one. Practically very broker had orders, and among the best buyers were some of the leading institutions are loaded down with sur-plus cash, having from a few hundred

TODAY'S SALES ON WASHINGTON EXCHANGE FIRE CAN'T DAUNT

Metropolitan Railroad 5's, \$1,000@113%. Washington Railway and Electric 4's, 1.000@87%, \$1,000@87%, \$1,000@87%, \$1,000@ Norfolk and Washington Steamboat

WASHINGTON EXCHANGE BID AND ASKED PRICES

GAS BONDS. Georgetown Gas 5's......... Washington Gas 4's....... Wash Gas Cert. 6's..... RAILROAD BONDS.

TYPE MACHINE STOCKS. MINING STOCKS. rican 175

TRUST COMPANY STOCKS. | SAVINGS | 280 | Home Savings | 149 | Merch. Mec. Savings | 149 | 235 | 160 | Union Savings..... Dime Savings Bank ...

TITLE INSURANCE STOCKS.

MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS. | Emmerson Steam Pump. | 12 | Grapho. com | 10 | Grapho. pfd | 30 | Security Storage | 189 | Washington Market | 15%

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plus cash, having from a few hundred thousand to a couple of millions seeking investment. One institution is seeking loans for the millions, and the others have large amounts of surplus cash. The session's record was about 4,000 shares of stock and \$10,00 face value bonds. The active stocks were the tractions and Lanston, the transactions in the

ing it freely.

It opened at 16 and sold to 151/2, recovering to 153/2. Mergenthaler quiet at

Norfolk and Washington Steamboat
5's, \$1,000@105.
Capital Traction, 500@135, 10@135, 15@135.
Wahington Railway and Electric, common, 50@42%, 50@42%, 50@92%, 5

wiped out their entire plant, Smoot & Co. had secured sufficient machinery early this morning to begin operations a smaller way, and the entire plant is to be rebuilt immediately. A Norfolk planing mill and two Washington planing mills, according to this com-pany, volunteered their aid in filling orders today, and the Smoot company's usiness will be little interrupted. Fields & Co also resumed operations as fully as possible this morning. Burn-

ed portions will be rebuilt at once. Smouldering remnants of the large umber piles of yesterday attest this morning to the fierceness of the fire which for a time threatened the busiess section of Alexandria. The firefighting apparatus, however, was all reoved from the scene during the night, although a hose stream from a nearby dug was kept playing up the ruins until his morning.

The two engines sent over by the Washington department on an emerg-ency call returned to Washington about

Washington department on an emergency call returned to Washington about two hours after the fire was finally put under control. The three Alexandria engines left the burned area at 7 o'clock last night, and the fireboat from the Washington harbor remained in the vicinity until about 8 o'clock. The single stream was then brought into play from the nearby plug.

Hundreds of people visited the scene of the biggest fire Alexandria has had in years during the afterneon yesterday, and this morning. The entire city today is congratulating itself on the magnificent work of the combined fighters from Alexandria and Washington, which, undoubtedly, prevented the spread of the flames to the business portion of the city where their check would have been almost impossible.

Chief Wagner of the Washington Fire Department anyounced today that, with the approval of the Commissioners, he will issue a general order commending the officers and members of the department who rendered assistance at the Alexandria fire. In a report to Commissioner Macfarland, the chief says:

"I have to invite your attention to the fact that the officers and members of this department who were sent to Alexandria, and also several others who were on their day off or on furlough, but who responded voluntarily, rendered splendid service, and so conducted themselves in responded voluntarily, rendered splendid service, and so conducted themselves in the discharge of their duty as to merit the highest commendation."

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A detail from Old Dominion Commandery, Knights Templar, will tomorro wmorning board the train bearing the remains of the late Thomas H. Netherland from Washington to Richmond, and will accompany the body to its last resting place. Mr. Netherland was past eminent commander of Old Dominion Commandery Commandery.

Nathan Wollberg, a salesman for Guy Curran & Co., of Washington, dropped dead while seiling a bill of goods to W. M. Priest, in Priest's store at the corner of Patrick and Queen streets, about 6 o'clock last evening.

Wollberg's death is supposed to have been due to heart disease. He was born in Germany, but had resided in this city for many years. Mr. Wollberg was seventy years of age, and is survived by a widow and several children. He was a member of Alexandria-Washington Lodge of Masons, and Alexandria Council, Royal Arcanum.

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VIRGINIA OFFICIALS PLANNING CLASH OVER CASE \$50,000 APART

A seeming conflict of authority between Squire Burrell and Coroner G. C. Ashton, both of Alexandria county, developed today when the authorities were notified of the electrocution of Ear Wills, fourteen years old, while workng an Overland bridge near St. Elmo

The accident occurred about 6 o'clock ast evening when Willis' foot came in ontact with a live wire. He was siting on an abutment when he slipped. His foot touched the wire and 6,000

Contract for New Building

Is Let by Miss Whelan.

apartment is to be built at 918 Four-teenth street northwest for Miss M. C. Whelan. A contract for the construc-tion of the building has been let to

this foot touched the wire and 6,000 volts passed through his body.

An Italian boy saw the body, bristling with sparks, hanging suspended in midair. He notified men who were passing, and the body was brought to the ground by means of wooden poles. Dr. G. C. Yates, of Del Bay, was summoned, and he pronounced the boy dead.

Coroner Ashton was the first to view the body. In the meanwhile Squirs Burrell had been notized, and claimed jurisdiction over the case. Coroner Ashton declared Squire Burrell's claim was a flagrant usurpation of his authority, and at noon today issued an order that the body shall not be touched by anyone until he order's a coroner's inquest.

There front of the building will be of Kentucky limestone, highly ornamented. The entrances to the store, which will occupy all of the first floor, as well as to the apartment, will be of wrought iron delaborate design. Show windows and doors will be of French plate glass with ccpper roof over windows.

It has been decided by Miss Whelan to have the building trimmed throughout in highly polished hardwood, with parquetry flooring in the halls and the rooms in the apartments. All modern conveniences will be installed. The building probably will be completed and ready for occupancy late in the fall.

Willige, Gibbs & Daniel, the two-story colonial brick dwelling at 2415 N street weather Bureau, to Mrs. Kate E. P. Whistler, for \$3,500. The house occupies a lot having a twenty-foot frontage by a depth of ninety feet. It will be held by Mrs. Whistler as an investment.

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